

Application For Employment

It is this agency's policy to provide equal employment opportunities without regard to age, race, color, religion, military status, gender preference, sex, marital status, national origin, or disability.

Applicant Name:

Email Address:

Present Address

City/State/Zip:

Home Phone:

Mobile Phone:

Social Security Number:

Are You at Least 18 Years Old? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Position Applying For:

☐ Full Time ☐ Part Time Per Visit
☐ Part Time ☐ Pool

Shift: ☐ Day ☐ Night
☐ Evening ☐ W/E

Salary Requirements:

Date Available

If you are not a US Citizen, have you the
legal right to remain permanently in the US? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you have adequate means of transportation to get to work on time each day and when called in on short notice during normal working hours? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you been convicted of a crime (excluding misdemeanors and traffic offenses) and/or released from confinement following a conviction for any criminal offense within the past 7 years? ☐ Yes ☐ No If Yes, please give date, place and nature of each such conviction.

Are you presently charged with any violation of the law other than traffic violation? ☐ Yes ☐ No If Yes, give date, place and nature of each such conviction.

Educational History

Type of School	Name & Location of School	Circle Last Year Attended	Graduated	Degree
High School		9 10 11 12		
College		1 2 3 4		
College		1 2 3 4		
Other		From: To:		

List professional licenses you possess. Indicate type of license, number and state

List any memberships in professional organizations, honors or activities which you feel would enhance your application, excluding those that would indicate age, race, color, religion, military status, gender preference, sex, marital status, national origin, or disability.

List languages spoken other than English:

List other skills applicable to the position for which you are applying, including computer experience, typing speed, etc:

In case of an emergency notify

Relationship

Out of state contact, if possible

Relationship

NAME _____

Work History

Attach an additional sheet listing other work experience pertinent to the position for which you are applying if the space below is insufficient

Company Name	Complete Address incl City/State/Zip	Phone Number	Supervisor's Name
Date Started Date Left	Type of Business ☐ Full Time ☐ Part Time ☐ Per Visit Salary	Reason For Leaving	OK to Contact Supervisor ☐ Yes ☐ No

Describe your job title, responsibilities and accomplishments

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NAME: _____

PERSONAL REFERENCES: (Name,Phone ,Relationship) _____

Please review and sign

In making application for employment:

- I certify that the information in this application is true and complete, for all practical purposes. It may be verified by the facility or any affiliate. Should a position be offered and later it is found that the information is significantly untrue, incomplete, or misrepresented, I understand and agree that the facility or its affiliates are relieved of all commitments, financial or otherwise pertinent to employment, and that I am subject to immediate discharge without recourse.
- I understand that an investigative report may be made by a consumer reporting agency to include information as to my character, general reputation, personal characteristics, and mode of living, whichever may be applicable. If such an investigative report is made, I understand that I will receive notice that such report has been requested, and that I will have the right to make a written request for a complete and accurate disclosure of additional information concerning the nature and scope of the investigation.
- I understand and agree that if I am offered employment by the facility, my employment will be for no definite term and that either I, or the facility will have the right to terminate the employment relationship at any time, with or without cause, and with or without notice. I also understand that this status can only be altered by a written contract of employment which is specific as to all material terms and is signed by me and the Administrator of the facility.
- I understand, if I am an unlicensed person who has face-to-face patient/client contact, that the agency will perform a criminal history check per State Regulations as well as a check of the Nurse Aide Registry and Employee Misconduct Registry. I understand that: 1) the purpose of the Employee Misconduct Registry is to ensure that unlicensed personnel who commit acts of abuse, neglect, exploitation, misappropriation, or misconduct against residents and consumers are denied employment in DADS-regulated facilities and agencies; 2) the State of Texas maintains a registry of all nurse aides who are certified to provide services in nursing facilities and skilled nursing facilities licensed by the Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services (DADS) and they review and investigate allegations of abuse, neglect, or misappropriation of resident property by nurse aides and if there's a finding of an alleged act of abuse, neglect, or misappropriation, the nurse aide may request both an informal reconsideration and a formal hearing before the finding is placed on the registry; 3) All DADS-regulated facilities and agencies are required to check the Employee Misconduct Registry and Nurse Aide Registry before hire to determine if I am listed in either registry as having committed an act of abuse, neglect, exploitation, misappropriation, or misconduct against a resident or consumer and am, therefore, **unemployable**.

Release: I hereby authorize any prior employers to provide such information concerning my employment with them as may be requested, and also authorize the Registrar/Placement Office of all educational institutions attended to release an official copy of my transcript and, if available, faculty appraisals. I also authorize any appropriate licensing board to release full information concerning my license status and my license history.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	☐ References Checked	If Hired: Position: Salary: FT/PT/Per Visit	Start Date:
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Reference Request**Eminent Home Healthcare LLC**

Date: _____

Check method of gathering reference data: ☐ Verbal ☐ Mail

Name of person giving reference: _____ Facility: _____

The individual named below is applying for a position as _____ and has given you as a reference. As we place great importance on the thorough screening of all our applicants, we would appreciate a prompt and thoughtful response.

Thank you in advance _____
(Name of Company Representative)

Applicant Release

Applicant _____
Last First MI Maiden

Position Held _____

Social Security # _____ Dates Employed: From _____ To _____

I hereby release from all liability the company or person completing this form, and authorize them to release all information regarding my employment with them. I understand that this information may be released to clients of the requesting company and other requesting third parties on a need to know basis. I also release the requesting company from all liability for any damages from the disclosure of this information.

Applicant Signature Date

- 1) Please confirm the applicant's employment. From _____ To _____
Date Date
- 2) Please comment on the applicant's attributes using the following scale:
4 = Excellent 3 = Good 2 = Fair 1 = Poor N/A = Not applicable

Quality of Work _____

Knowledge & Skills "Professional care in the comfort of your home" _____

Reliability & Attendance _____

Cooperation _____

Competence _____

Supervisory ability & capacity _____

Grooming _____

- 3) Please indicate specialty areas in which the applicant has had experience: _____

- 4) Please indicate any special considerations necessary when giving assignments to this individual: _____

- 5) Is applicant eligible for rehire? ☐ Yes ☐ No If no, why not? _____

Please attach any additional comments.

Signature Position/Title Date

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Department of Homeland Security
U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

**Form I-9, Employment
Eligibility Verification**

Read instructions carefully before completing this form. The instructions must be available during completion of this form.

ANTI-DISCRIMINATION NOTICE: It is illegal to discriminate against work-authorized individuals. Employers CANNOT specify which document(s) they will accept from an employee. The refusal to hire an individual because the documents have a future expiration date may also constitute illegal discrimination.

Section 1. Employee Information and Verification *(To be completed and signed by employee at the time employment begins.)*

Print Name: Last	First	Middle Initial	Maiden Name
Address (Street Name and Number)		Apt. #	Date of Birth (month/day/year)
City	State	Zip Code	Social Security #

I am aware that federal law provides for imprisonment and/or fines for false statements or use of false documents in connection with the completion of this form.

I attest, under penalty of perjury, that I am (check one of the following):

- ☐ A citizen of the United States
- ☐ A noncitizen national of the United States (see instructions)
- ☐ A lawful permanent resident (Alien #) _____
- ☐ An alien authorized to work (Alien # or Admission #) _____ until (expiration date, if applicable - month/day/year)

Employee's Signature _____ Date (month/day/year) _____

Preparer and/or Translator Certification *(To be completed and signed if Section 1 is prepared by a person other than the employee.) I attest, under penalty of perjury, that I have assisted in the completion of this form and that to the best of my knowledge the information is true and correct.*

Preparer's/Translator's Signature _____	Print Name _____
Address (Street Name and Number, City, State, Zip Code) _____	
Date (month/day/year) _____	

Section 2. Employer Review and Verification *(To be completed and signed by employer. Examine one document from List A OR examine one document from List B and one from List C, as listed on the reverse of this form, and record the title, number, and expiration date, if any, of the document(s).)*

List A	OR	List B	AND	List C
Document title: _____		Document title: _____		Document title: _____
Issuing authority: _____		Issuing authority: _____		Issuing authority: _____
Document #: _____		Document #: _____		Document #: _____
Expiration Date (if any): _____		Expiration Date (if any): _____		Expiration Date (if any): _____
Document #: _____		Document #: _____		Document #: _____
Expiration Date (if any): _____		Expiration Date (if any): _____		Expiration Date (if any): _____

CERTIFICATION: I attest, under penalty of perjury, that I have examined the document(s) presented by the above-named employee, that the above-listed document(s) appear to be genuine and to relate to the employee named, that the employee began employment on (month/day/year) _____ and that to the best of my knowledge the employee is authorized to work in the United States. (State employment agencies may omit the date the employee began employment.)

Signature of Employer or Authorized Representative _____	Print Name _____	Title _____
Business or Organization Name and Address (Street Name and Number, City, State, Zip Code) _____		Date (month/day/year) _____

Section 3. Updating and Reverification *(To be completed and signed by employer.)*

A. New Name (if applicable) _____	B. Date of Rehire (month/day/year) (if applicable) _____
C. If employee's previous grant of work authorization has expired, provide the information below for the document that establishes current employment authorization.	
Document Title: _____	Document #: _____
Expiration Date (if any): _____	
I attest, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of my knowledge, this employee is authorized to work in the United States, and if the employee presented document(s), the document(s) I have examined appear to be genuine and to relate to the individual.	
Signature of Employer or Authorized Representative _____	Date (month/day/year) _____

Form W-4 (2011)

Purpose. Complete Form W-4 so that your employer can withhold the correct federal income tax from your pay. Consider completing a new Form W-4 each year and when your personal or financial situation changes.

Exemption from withholding. If you are exempt, complete **only** lines 1, 2, 3, 4, and 7 and sign the form to validate it. Your exemption for 2011 expires February 16, 2012. See Pub. 505, Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax.

Note. If another person can claim you as a dependent on his or her tax return, you cannot claim exemption from withholding if your income exceeds \$950 and includes more than \$300 of unearned income (for example, interest and dividends).

Basic instructions. If you are not exempt, complete the **Personal Allowances Worksheet** below. The worksheets on page 2 further adjust your withholding allowances based on itemized deductions, certain credits, adjustments to income, or two-earners/multiple jobs situations.

Complete all worksheets that apply. However, you may claim fewer (or zero) allowances. For regular wages, withholding must be based on allowances you claimed and may not be a flat amount or percentage of wages.

Head of household. Generally, you may claim head of household filing status on your tax return only if you are unmarried and pay more than 50% of the costs of keeping up a home for yourself and your dependent(s) or other qualifying individuals. See Pub. 501, Exemptions, Standard Deduction, and Filing Information, for information.

Tax credits. You can take projected tax credits into account in figuring your allowable number of withholding allowances. Credits for child or dependent care expenses and the child tax credit may be claimed using the **Personal Allowances Worksheet** below. See Pub. 919, How Do I Adjust My Tax Withholding, for information on converting your other credits into withholding allowances.

Nonwage income. If you have a large amount of nonwage income, such as interest or dividends, consider making estimated tax payments using

Form 1040-ES, Estimated Tax for Individuals. Otherwise, you may owe additional tax. If you have pension or annuity income, see Pub. 919 to find out if you should adjust your withholding on Form W-4 or W-4P.

Two earners or multiple jobs. If you have a working spouse or more than one job, figure the total number of allowances you are entitled to claim on all jobs using worksheets from only one Form W-4. Your withholding usually will be most accurate when all allowances are claimed on the Form W-4 for the highest paying job and zero allowances are claimed on the others. See Pub. 919 for details.

Nonresident alien. If you are a nonresident alien, see Notice 1392, Supplemental Form W-4 Instructions for Nonresident Aliens, before completing this form.

Check your withholding. After your Form W-4 takes effect, use Pub. 919 to see how the amount you are having withheld compares to your projected total tax for 2011. See Pub. 919, especially if your earnings exceed \$130,000 (Single) or \$180,000 (Married).

Personal Allowances Worksheet (Keep for your records.)

A	Enter "1" for yourself if no one else can claim you as a dependent	A _____
B	Enter "1" if: • You are single and have only one job; or • You are married, have only one job, and your spouse does not work; or • Your wages from a second job or your spouse's wages (or the total of both) are \$1,500 or less. 	B _____
C	Enter "1" for your spouse . But, you may choose to enter "-0-" if you are married and have either a working spouse or more than one job. (Entering "-0-" may help you avoid having too little tax withheld.)	C _____
D	Enter number of dependents (other than your spouse or yourself) you will claim on your tax return	D _____
E	Enter "1" if you will file as head of household on your tax return (see conditions under Head of household above)	E _____
F	Enter "1" if you have at least \$1,900 of child or dependent care expenses for which you plan to claim a credit	F _____
G	Child Tax Credit (including additional child tax credit). See Pub. 972, Child Tax Credit, for more information. • If your total income will be less than \$61,000 (\$90,000 if married), enter "2" for each eligible child; then less "1" if you have three or more eligible children. • If your total income will be between \$61,000 and \$84,000 (\$90,000 and \$119,000 if married), enter "1" for each eligible child plus "1" additional if you have six or more eligible children	G _____
H	Add lines A through G and enter total here. (Note. This may be different from the number of exemptions you claim on your tax return.) ▶ For accuracy, complete all worksheets that apply. • If you plan to itemize or claim adjustments to income and want to reduce your withholding, see the Deductions and Adjustments Worksheet on page 2. • If you have more than one job or are married and you and your spouse both work and the combined earnings from all jobs exceed \$40,000 (\$10,000 if married), see the Two-Earners/Multiple Jobs Worksheet on page 2 to avoid having too little tax withheld. • If neither of the above situations applies, stop here and enter the number from line H on line 5 of Form W-4 below.	H _____

----- Cut here and give Form W-4 to your employer. Keep the top part for your records. -----

Form W-4 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service		Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate		OMB No. 1545-0074
▶ Whether you are entitled to claim a certain number of allowances or exemption from withholding is subject to review by the IRS. Your employer may be required to send a copy of this form to the IRS.				2011
1 Type or print your first name and middle initial. Last name		2 Your social security number		
Home address (number and street or rural route)		3 ☐ Single ☐ Married ☐ Married, but withhold at higher Single rate. Note. If married, but legally separated, or spouse is a nonresident alien, check the "Single" box.		
City or town, state, and ZIP code		4 If your last name differs from that shown on your social security card, check here. You must call 1-800-772-1213 for a replacement card. ▶ ☐		
5 Total number of allowances you are claiming (from line H above or from the applicable worksheet on page 2)	5 _____			
6 Additional amount, if any, you want withheld from each paycheck	6 \$ _____			
7 I claim exemption from withholding for 2011, and I certify that I meet both of the following conditions for exemption. • Last year I had a right to a refund of all federal income tax withheld because I had no tax liability and • This year I expect a refund of all federal income tax withheld because I expect to have no tax liability. If you meet both conditions, write "Exempt" here ▶ 7 _____				

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this certificate and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

Employee's signature

(This form is not valid unless you sign it.) ▶

Date ▶

8 Employer's name and address (Employer: Complete lines 8 and 10 only if sending to the IRS.)	9 Office code (optional)	10 Employer identification number (EIN)
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Deductions and Adjustments Worksheet**Note.** Use this worksheet *only* if you plan to itemize deductions or claim certain credits or adjustments to income.

1	Enter an estimate of your 2011 itemized deductions. These include qualifying home mortgage interest, charitable contributions, state and local taxes, medical expenses in excess of 7.5% of your income, and miscellaneous deductions	1	\$ _____
2	Enter: $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \$11,600 \text{ if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)} \\ \$8,500 \text{ if head of household} \\ \$5,800 \text{ if single or married filing separately} \end{array} \right\}$	2	\$ _____
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1. If zero or less, enter "-0-"	3	\$ _____
4	Enter an estimate of your 2011 adjustments to income and any additional standard deduction (see Pub. 919)	4	\$ _____
5	Add lines 3 and 4 and enter the total. (Include any amount for credits from the <i>Converting Credits to Withholding Allowances for 2011 Form W-4 Worksheet</i> in Pub. 919.)	5	\$ _____
6	Enter an estimate of your 2011 nonwage income (such as dividends or interest)	6	\$ _____
7	Subtract line 6 from line 5. If zero or less, enter "-0-"	7	\$ _____
8	Divide the amount on line 7 by \$3,700 and enter the result here. Drop any fraction	8	_____
9	Enter the number from the Personal Allowances Worksheet , line H, page 1	9	_____
10	Add lines 8 and 9 and enter the total here. If you plan to use the Two-Earners/Multiple Jobs Worksheet , also enter this total on line 1 below. Otherwise, stop here and enter this total on Form W-4, line 5, page 1	10	_____

Two-Earners/Multiple Jobs Worksheet (See *Two earners or multiple jobs* on page 1.)**Note.** Use this worksheet *only* if the instructions under line H on page 1 direct you here.

1	Enter the number from line H, page 1 (or from line 10 above if you used the Deductions and Adjustments Worksheet)	1	_____
2	Find the number in Table 1 below that applies to the LOWEST paying job and enter it here. However , if you are married filing jointly and wages from the highest paying job are \$65,000 or less, do not enter more than "3"	2	_____
3	If line 1 is more than or equal to line 2, subtract line 2 from line 1. Enter the result here (if zero, enter "-0-") and on Form W-4, line 5, page 1. Do not use the rest of this worksheet	3	_____

Note. If line 1 is **less than** line 2, enter "-0-" on Form W-4, line 5, page 1. Complete lines 4 through 9 below to figure the additional withholding amount necessary to avoid a year-end tax bill.

4	Enter the number from line 2 of this worksheet	4	_____
5	Enter the number from line 1 of this worksheet	5	_____
6	Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	_____
7	Find the amount in Table 2 below that applies to the HIGHEST paying job and enter it here	7	\$ _____
8	Multiply line 7 by line 6 and enter the result here. This is the additional annual withholding needed	8	\$ _____
9	Divide line 8 by the number of pay periods remaining in 2011. For example, divide by 26 if you are paid every two weeks and you complete this form in December 2010. Enter the result here and on Form W-4, line 6, page 1. This is the additional amount to be withheld from each paycheck	9	\$ _____

Table 1

Married Filing Jointly		All Others	
If wages from LOWEST paying job are—	Enter on line 2 above	If wages from LOWEST paying job are—	Enter on line 2 above
\$0 - \$5,000 -	0	\$0 - \$8,000 -	0
5,001 - 12,000 -	1	8,001 - 15,000 -	1
12,001 - 22,000 -	2	15,001 - 25,000 -	2
22,001 - 25,000 -	3	25,001 - 30,000 -	3
25,001 - 30,000 -	4	30,001 - 40,000 -	4
30,001 - 40,000 -	5	40,001 - 50,000 -	5
40,001 - 48,000 -	6	50,001 - 65,000 -	6
48,001 - 55,000 -	7	65,001 - 80,000 -	7
55,001 - 65,000 -	8	80,001 - 95,000 -	8
65,001 - 72,000 -	9	95,001 - 120,000 -	9
72,001 - 85,000 -	10	120,001 and over	10
85,001 - 97,000 -	11		
97,001 - 110,000 -	12		
110,001 - 120,000 -	13		
120,001 - 135,000 -	14		
135,001 and over	15		

Table 2

Married Filing Jointly		All Others	
If wages from HIGHEST paying job are—	Enter on line 7 above	If wages from HIGHEST paying job are—	Enter on line 7 above
\$0 - \$65,000	\$560	\$0 - \$35,000	\$560
65,001 - 125,000	930	35,001 - 90,000	930
125,001 - 185,000	1,040	90,001 - 165,000	1,040
185,001 - 335,000	1,220	165,001 - 370,000	1,220
335,001 and over	1,300	370,001 and over	1,300

Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice. We ask for the information on this form to carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. Internal Revenue Code sections 3402(f)(2) and 6109 and their regulations require you to provide this information; your employer uses it to determine your federal income tax withholding. Failure to provide a properly completed form will result in your being treated as a single person who claims no withholding allowances; providing fraudulent information may subject you to penalties. Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation, to cities, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. commonwealths and possessions for use in administering their tax laws; and to the Department of Health and Human Services for use in the National Directory of New Hires. We may also disclose this information to other countries under a tax treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce federal nontax criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism.

You are not required to provide the information requested on a form that is subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act unless the form displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a form or its instructions must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. Generally, tax returns and return information are confidential, as required by Code section 6103.

The average time and expenses required to complete and file this form will vary depending on individual circumstances. For estimated averages, see the instructions for your income tax return.

If you have suggestions for making this form simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. See the instructions for your income tax return.

STATEMENT OF EMPLOYABILITY

By execution of this document, I acknowledge that I have been informed by the Agency and agree that the Agency may conduct a State of Texas criminal history check and search the Nurse Aide Registry and the Employee Misconduct Registry to determine if I have a criminal conviction or have committed certain conduct that will bar me from employment with this Agency.

Criminal History Check

I have informed this agency of all names (i.e., maiden, aliases) that I have used in the past. I understand that my employment is pending the results of the criminal history check, and that I may not have patient contact until results are returned.

CONVICTIONS BARRING EMPLOYMENT.

- (A) A person for whom the facility is entitled to obtain criminal history record information may not be employed in a facility if the person has been convicted of an offense listed in this subsection:
- ♦ An offense under Chapter 19, Penal Code (criminal homicide);
 - ♦ An offense under Chapter 20, Penal Code (kidnaping and unlawful restraint);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 21.02, Penal Code (continuous sexual abuse of a young child or children);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 21.08, Penal Code (indecent exposure);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 21.11, Penal Code (indecent with a child);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 21.12, Penal Code (improper relationship between educator and student);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 21.15, Penal Code (improper photography or visual recording);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 22.011, Penal Code (sexual assault);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 22.02, Penal Code (aggravated assault);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 22.021, Penal Code (aggravated sexual assault);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 22.04, Penal Code (injury to a child, elderly individual, or a disabled individual);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 22.041, Penal Code (abandoning or endangering a child);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 22.05, Penal Code (deadly conduct);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 22.07, Penal Code (terroristic threat);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 22.08, Penal Code (aiding suicide);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 25.031, Penal Code (agreement to abduct from custody);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 25.08, Penal Code (sale or purchase of a child);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 28.02, Penal Code (arson);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 29.02, Penal Code (robbery);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 29.03, Penal Code (aggravated robbery);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 33.021, Penal Code (online solicitation of a minor);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 34.02, Penal Code (money laundering);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 35A.02, Penal Code (Medicaid fraud);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 42.09, Penal Code (cruelty to animals); or
 - ♦ A conviction under the laws of another state, federal law, or the Uniform Code of Military Justice for an offense containing elements that are substantially similar to the elements of an offense listed by this subsection.
 - ♦ An offense the Agency determines to be contraindicated to employment with the consumers the Agency serves
- (B) A person may also be barred from employment the duties of which involve direct contract with a client in a facility if convicted of any of the following crimes within the past 5 years:
- ♦ An offense under Section 22.01, Penal Code (assault punishable as a Class A misdemeanor or as a felony);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 30.02, Penal Code (burglary);
 - ♦ An offense under Chapter 31, Penal Code (theft that is punishable as a felony);
 - ♦ An offense under Section 32.45, Penal Code (misapplication of fiduciary property or property of a financial institution), that is punishable as a Class A misdemeanor or a felony; or
 - ♦ An offense under Section 32.46, Penal Code (securing execution of a document by deception punishable as a Class A misdemeanor or a felony).
 - ♦ An offense under Section 37.12, Penal Code (false identification as a peace officer); or
 - ♦ An offense under Section 42.01 (a) (7), (8), or (9), Penal Code (disorderly conduct).
- (C) In addition to the prohibitions on employment prescribed by Subsections (A) and (B), a person for whom a facility licensed under Chapter 242 or 247 is entitled to obtain criminal history record information may not be employed in a facility licensed under Chapter 242 or 247 if the person has been convicted:
- ♦ Of an offense under Section 30.02, Penal Code (burglary); or
 - ♦ Under the laws of another state, federal law, or the Uniform Code of Military Justice for an offense containing elements that are substantially similar to the elements of an offense under Section 30.02, Penal Code.
- (D) In addition to the prohibitions on employment prescribed by Subsections (A), (B) and (C), a nurse aide listed as unemployable per amendment to TAC 40, §94.10(l) and §94.11(c) (d) and is listed on the NAR or EMR stating a finding of abuse, neglect or misappropriation will not be recertified therefore, is unemployable.
- (E) For purposes of this section, a person who is placed on deferred adjudication community supervision for an offense listed in this section, successfully completes the period of deferred adjudication community supervision, and receives a dismissal and discharge in accordance with Section 5(c), Article 42.12, Code of Criminal procedure, is not considered convicted of the offense for which the person received deferred adjudication community supervision.

I acknowledge that if I am found to have been convicted of any other offense(s), that these offenses may also bar my employment. I understand that all information obtained by this agency regarding any criminal history will remain confidential.

I certify that the information on this form contains no willful misrepresentation and that the information given is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant

Date

For Agency Use Only: Criminal History, Employee Misconduct Registry(EMR), and Nurse Aide Registry (NAR) checks completed:

- ☐ Criminal History Check completed on-line
- ☐ EMR checked by telephone. (800-452-3934) ☐ NAR checked by telephone (800-452-3934)
- ☐ Applicant employable ☐ Applicant not employable

Verified By
HCL / Background Check Rvd. 090109

Date

Time

EMPLOYEE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Confidentiality: Agency maintains confidentiality of operations, activities, and business affairs of the Agency and the clients according to 1996, Health Information Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). Due to the nature of our work, each employee will gain, directly or indirectly, sensitive and confidential information on clients/patients and staff members. The health care professional safeguards the client's right to privacy by judiciously protecting information of a confidential nature including medical treatment information, diagnosis, medical records, personal patient information, etc. This information should be shared only with those persons who, due to their position, have a need to know. Sensitive or confidential information must never be used as the basis for social conversation or gossip. If an employee is in doubt as to whether or not certain information may be shared, s/he should consult with his/her supervisor.

Drug Testing Policy: Agency conducts drug testing on its employees who have direct contact with patients.. Agency maintains a drug free workplace policy with regard to the possession, use, distribution and sale of drugs or alcohol. All employees are prohibited from the unlawful or unauthorized manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance or any alcoholic beverages while in the workplace or on Company paid time. Violation of this policy can result in disciplinary action, up to and including termination of employment. I acknowledge I have received a copy of the agency's policy on drug testing.

Harassment Policy: This agency is committed to providing a work environment, that is free from all forms of discrimination and unlawful harassment including sexual harassment. This policy applies to all employees including management personnel. Sexual harassment is any unwelcome sexual advances either explicit or implicit as a term or condition of employment. Improper behavior may be verbal, visual, or physical in nature and/or the creation of a hostile environment. Management will investigate complaints of sexual harassment promptly, impartially and without fear of retaliation to the employee. An employee should report the alleged incident immediately and confidentially to the appropriate manager or Human Resources.

Non Solicitation/Illegal Remuneration: Agency does not reimburse or provide incentives to employees, physicians, durable equipment providers, family or other health professional for patient referrals for home health services. Employees found in violation of this policy will be subject to discipline up to termination of employment.

Non-Discrimination: Agency does not discriminate against clients or employees based on race, color, religion, age, sex, national origin, marital status, or disability.

Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation: Agency employees will report suspected abuse, neglect and/or exploitation to the state departments of both the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services, the Department of Aging and Disability Services, and Agency management. Agency employees suspected of abuse, neglect, or exploitation will be suspended immediately, an investigation will be conducted, and if the investigation validates the claim, the employee will be terminated.

Workers' Compensation: Agency is a non-subscriber to workers' compensation insurance. An employee who incurs an injury on the job that requires emergency medical treatment or is life threatening should proceed to the nearest emergency room. Emergency medical treatment (non life threatening) or non-emergency treatment should be referred to the agency's designated clinic. Notify the agency of an injury within 24 hours to complete paperwork. Medical expenses for injuries are covered with the exception of the following: employee's willful intent to hurt self or others, intoxication or drug use, horseplay, acts of God, and/or acts of a third party.

Progressive Discipline Policy: Agency utilizes a progressive discipline process in cases of misconduct or unacceptable performance. This includes verbal warning, written warning and final warning. Disciplinary action may begin at an advanced stage of the process or may result in immediate termination based upon the nature and severity of the offense, employee's past record and other circumstances.

Agency Policies: I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and will comply with all applicable agency policies and guidelines.

Employee: _____ Date: _____

HEPATITIS B VACCINATION

Due to your occupational exposure to blood or other potentially infectious materials, you may be at risk for acquiring hepatitis B viral (HBV) infection. The vaccination series is available, at no cost, to you. Please indicate below your declination or acceptance to receive the vaccine.

Hepatitis B is a blood borne virus which can cause a range of symptoms from mild to serious, and possibly result in fatal liver damage to health care workers who become infected. The virus can be transmitted through contact with infectious fluids of a client who has hepatitis B virus. You have been taught the concepts of Universal Precautions concerning safe client care and the use of equipment to avoid unnecessary exposure.

Synthetic hepatitis B vaccine is derived from yeast cells. It is not composed of human blood or plasma. It is given as a series of three injections into the arm muscle at prescribed intervals (initial shot, one month later, and six months later). It has proven to be over 80-90% effective in protecting against the disease. There may be hypersensitivity to the vaccine, and there may be soreness and swelling of the injection arm. Other side effects may occur at an incidence of under 3% of injections.

The vaccine will not be given to persons with known sensitivity to aluminum hydroxide, thimerosal, yeast or hepatitis antigen and will only be given with your personal physician's recommendations in the cases of pregnancy or presence of other infection of immunosuppressive state. The vaccine does not grant 100% assurance of immunity.

Acceptance: I have read the above information describing the risks and benefits of receiving the vaccination. I understand that the decision to receive the vaccination series is mine and I wish to receive the hepatitis B vaccine.

Employee Signature

Date

Witness

Declination: ☐ I have been given the opportunity to be vaccinated with hepatitis B vaccine, at no charge to myself. I decline the vaccination series. I understand that by declining this vaccine, I continue to be at risk for acquiring hepatitis B. If I continue to have occupational exposure to blood or other potentially infectious material (OPIM) and I want to be vaccinated with hepatitis B vaccine, I can receive the vaccination series at no charge to me.

☐ I have already received the hepatitis vaccine at an earlier date. I am ☐ am not ☐ providing a copy of the record to the agency

Employee Signature

Date

Witness

ORIENTATION CHECKLIST

I) Introduction

Agency Vision/Philosophy
Overview/Scope of Services
Organizational Structure
Geographical Area
Communication
Ethics
Confidentiality/HIPAA
Personal Safety
Emergency Preparedness

IV) General Policies & Procedures

Patient Supplies
Patient Durable Medical Equipment
Home Health Agency Paperwork
Schedules/Time frames
Communication with L.E.P. persons
Communication with visually,
hearing and speech impaired
persons

II) Exposure Control/Universal Precautions

Standard Precautions/OSHA/Hazardous
Waste/Infection Control
Hand Washing
Equipment Maintenance
Equipment Safety

V) Clinical

Policy & Procedure Manual
Community Resources
Advance Directives
Patient Care Responsibilities
Coordination of Care
Abuse & Reporting
Death & Dying Policy
Medicare Guidelines
Storage & Handling of Drugs
Referral Guidelines

III) Human Resource Policies

Dress Code
Paid Time Off
Insurance
Evaluation Policy
TB (*according to agency policy*)
Hepatitis Consent/Declination
On The Job Injury
Pay Schedule
Employee Illness
On Call
Inclement Weather
Progressive Discipline Policy (i.e. internet use)
Employee Grievance Procedure
Non-discrimination Policy
Education Requirements
Illegal Remuneration
Fraud and Abuse

VI) Tour of Office

Employee Signature

Date

Employer Signature

Date